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Gardening Club, Sewing Club, Craftwork Club, Gardening Club, Music Time, Reading Time, BOSAI Club, and Multicultural Support Club (MSC) are voluntary activities by DROP users. Anyone is welcome to join!

Let's Go to the Park!

- ★ Okurayama Playpark (@Futoo Koen Park) There will be twice a month starts April! Plus... Joint event with the 4th Okurayama Sakura Festival...
4/4(Sat) 10:00-14:00
and on 2nd and 4th Fridays...
4/10 (Fri), 24(Fri) 10:30 - 16:30
- ★ Ohisama-Tanken-tai (@Futoo-cho Dai-Ni Koen Park)
4/21 (Tue) 10:30-11:30

Programs

- Multicultural Support Club 4/15 (Wed) 10:00-12:00
Let's discuss how we can support International families living in Kohoku Ward.
- Mama and Kids Café 'Oka-cha-n' 4/21 (Tue) 14:00-
Tea time for mums and children (presented by our volunteer staff).
- Twins and Triplets' Meeting 4/24 (Fri) 10:00-12:30
- Let's make Foreign Language Version of Drop Calendar TBD
Let's create the English and Chinese version of Drop Calendar.
- "Drop ORITAI" TBD
Join our newsletter folding activity "Drop ORITAI"!

DROP Counseling
Discuss individually any concerns you have with a professional.
Reservation necessary

4/14 (Tue) 10:00-12:00
4/16 (Thu) 9:30-12:30
4/18 (Sat) 10:00-12:00
4/21 (Tue) 10:00-12:00
4/28 (Tue) 10:00-12:00

Kurumi Salon
Let's talk about raising kids with midwife and other mums.
Reservation necessary

4/23 (Thu) 10:30 ~ 12:00

Reservation starts from 4/15 10:00 by phone or at the drop front counter.

'Iroenpitsu' Bread Sale
4/15 (Wed), 12:00 ~ 12:30
First come, first served! Don't miss it!

DROPPA Daddy's Gathering
Gathering for dads.
Next held in May 16th

Health Support at Kohoku Ward Office

- 4 month old health checkup (8:45 ~ 9:45)
- 1.5 year old health checkup (12:45 ~ 13:30)
- 3 year old health checkup (12:45 ~ 13:30)
- Breastfeeding Counseling
Contact : 045-540-2340
*Reservation necessary
*Japanese only

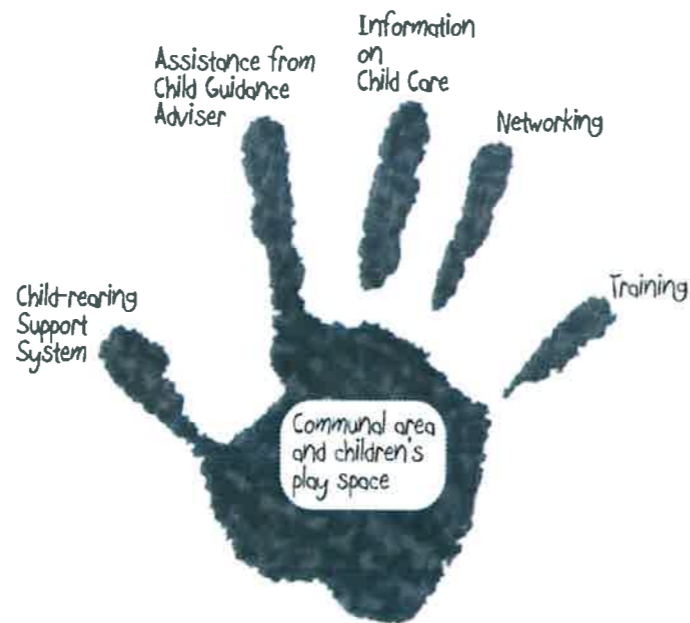


If you have any inquiry or need language support, please contact us at...

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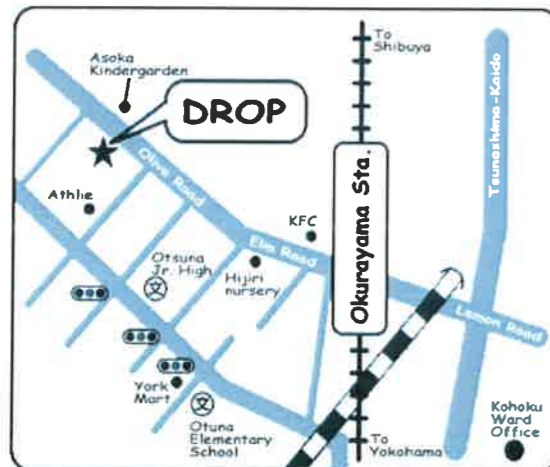
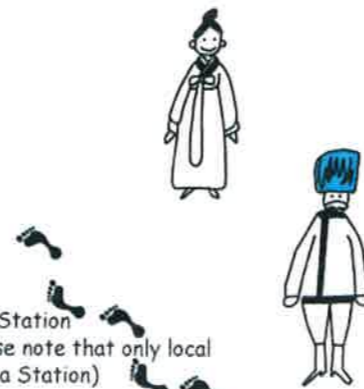
Welcome
to
DROP!



DROP (Kohoku-ku Child Care Support Center) is a gathering place for children and family. We can provide you information about raising children in Yokohama, and other services concerning child care.

Let's share the joyful moments of raising children together at DROP!

*Drop is part of Non Profit Organization Bino-Bino activities, supported by Yokohama City.



Access from Okurayama Station
(Tokyu-Toyoko Line. Please note that only local trains stops at Okurayama Station)

Approx. 10 minutes walk from the station.
After going out the ticket gate,
turn right and keep walking straight
along Elm Street.
You will see our facility on the left side of the road.
Please note that we have no parking spaces.

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■ Opening days/hours:
Tuesday thru Saturday
9:30-16:00
■ Closed days:
Sundays, Mondays, holidays,
year-end/New Years and
special closing days
■ Usage fee: FREE

Multicultural Support Club (MSC)

As a new voluntary activity by Drop users, we are starting "Multicultural Support Club (MSC)" from this April. This club is a gathering of

- international families who want to gain support from the local community
- local families who want to give support to international families
- anyone who is interested in understanding different cultures and want to think about better ways to make Kohoku Ward a more multicultural[^]friendly place.

The monthly International Mum's Lunch Meeting will change to Multicultural Support Club's monthly activity. The lunch meeting will be held on an irregular basis. We are also planning to hold events twice a year.

Together with this change, the English version of Drop Calendar will change its format over the next few months, If you have any ideas on how to improve the English version calendar, or any ideas for MSC or its events, they are most welcome! Let's enjoy MSC activity together!

Next MSC meeting...

- Discuss the contents of Easy-Japanese introduction card for new international Drop users.
- Decide annual activity schedule